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## RANKIN GROWS



Indication of the substantial growth of Rankin in recent months is this rent property—probably the best ever built here—nearing completion on Street. The J. T. Weavers, former residents, occupy the new home, owned by Grace Roach.

## Splits with State Trend on President --

# Nixon Leads Upton Vote in Moderate Turn-Out

Upton County voters apparently were more in step with the national trend than was the majority in Texas when they approved Richard Nixon for the next president. Texas, as a whole was won by Humphrey. The Upton vote was 664 for Nixon, 463 for Humphrey and 459—a close third—for George Wallace. Total vote for the county was 1648 out of a possible 2226—leaving over 500 registered voters without a

balloting count.

Another figure that becomes apparent is the possibility that a substantial number of the Wallace voters did not split their ballots but voted the straight ticket. With 1586 votes cast in the presidential race, the highest vote-getter on a county level was Sheriff H. E. "Gene" Eckols with a total of 1323.

Other county officials were John Menefee, County Attorney, with 1283 and H. Wheeler with 323. In McCamey a substantial write-in vote was mounted by E. K. Buford for commissioner in Precinct No. 3 when he got 163 votes to 295 for Kenneth Le Quey who had defeated Buford in the primary elections.

In the Governor's race, Upton County favored Smith—as they did the other Democratic candidates—921 votes to 662 for Republican Eggers.

In the district races, Pete Snelson was favored over Ernest Angelo 1035 to 510. George Baker talked 938 votes to 562 for his

Republican opponent in the Representative tilt.

Local voters turned down nine of the fourteen amendments with only Numbers 1, 6, 7, 9 and 14 getting favorable votes. Totals listed for and against were: 1, 679-628; 2, 435-851; 3, 616-630; 4, 446-784; 5, 591-721; 6, 724-545; 7, 642-585; 8, 454-784; 9, 937-433; 10, 334-936; 11, 373-844; 12, 602-678; 13, 402-859; and 14, 707-578.

By voting box, the president's race came out:

	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.
Abst.	31	57	25
Box 1	76	151	108
Box 2	36	72	62
Box 3	5	7	30
Box 4	181	153	134
Box 5	27	27	30
Box 6	107	197	100

## Now See Here --

With prices going higher and higher, the Joneses can hardly keep up with themselves.

## UNDEFEATED SEASON IN REACH—

# B-Team Lays Mark on Line in Thursday Tilt

Rankin football fans and their teams face two big decisions in a row this week. Highlighting the football wars will be the district game in Iraan Friday night but running a close second in interest will be the B-Team game with the McCamey Badger B's here on Thursday evening.

Actually, there will be three games, a 7th Grade affair to open action at 4:30 p.m., an 8th Grade game at 5:30 p.m., and the "main event" at 7:00 when the B-Teams play. It will be the final game of the season for all three Rankin clubs.

For the B-Team, it will be an opportunity to hang up their uniforms after a perfect season, having won six games in a row. On October 17, in McCamey, the young Red Devils downed the McCamey squad 28-6 and it is expected that the McCamey lads will be out to spoil the hopes of the Rankin squad. Most fans,

however, feel that the Devils are a determined group and will put forth their best—which should be good enough for the win.

There is no charge for attendance at these games, concession stands will be in operation and a large gathering of supporters are expected to be on hand for the game.

## Midkiff Turkey Eat Will be Saturday

Midkiff Eastern Star chapter has announced a turkey dinner to be served beginning at 6:00 p.m., Saturday, November 9. A full course meal will be on the menu with "all you can eat". To be served at the El Paso Recreation Hall, prices are to be \$1.50 for adults and 75-cents for children.

The public is cordially invited by the Eastern Star to avail themselves to this fine meal.

# Devils Face Iraan Braves in Critical Game for Championship

Rankin Red Devils face Iraan Braves, Friday see either of them next-to-last step into district circle for District Championship, 1968. Red Devils, a win them a shoo-in with person remaining on the For the Iraan Braves, still have to face a Horn. Rankin and Iraan are old rivals, the gridiron having started current series back in have played each year time. Rankin has extended the Braves in the series, having taken 10 matches to 5 for Iraan. There have been no ties. This is the fifteen-year

count when Rankin and Iraan take to the field in football.

For the current season, the Red Devils have a slightly better record than the Braves and will likely be favored to take the game by about 14 points. Rankin has a 5-2-1 season record; Iraan, 4-4-0. Rankin has put 179 points on the board while

## Country Club plans Two Social Events

Rankin Country Club has announced a Masquerade Ball and an old fashioned Box Supper as upcoming highlights on their social calendar. First attraction is to be the ball on Saturday, November 9. Time is from 8 until 1:00 p.m. with admission \$1 per couple and 75-cents stag.

On November 23, the club will hold their Box Supper with the public invited. Further details are to be announced as the date approaches.

On their membership drive, recently completed, the club has revealed that they went slightly over their goal and as a result will likely have nearly 80 charter members instead of the original 75 planned. This came about due to some who wished to join but, due to paydays, delay in income, etc. were granted extensions in completing their \$50.00 initiation fee payment. As of Wednesday, the club had some \$3900 in their escrow account which represents their por-

giving up only 62. For Iraan, it's 171 scored and 121 given up.

In district play, Rankin is a little behind in the scoring department having marked up a total of 113 points to 142 for the Braves. However, the Devils have yet to be scored on in district, but the Iraan squad is almost as good, having permitted only 8 points.

Most fans see the game as a possible defensive battle with the team that gets—or makes the breaks—coming out the winner. About the only thing that can be said for sure is that neither team will be short of supporters when kick-off rolls around at 7:30 p.m. in Brave stadium.

## BID REJECTED ON FRIDAY THEATRE SALE

It was "no sale" at the public auction held last Friday on the Ford Theatre building. The owner of the property reportedly rejected all bids.

Highest bidder at the sale was Travis Bley who offered \$750 for the old theatre.

tion of the loan they are seeking.

In a telephone conversation this week with Mr. Bob Edwards of Fort Stockton, the county supervisor for the PHA, it was learned that he wished to meet on November 21 with the Board of Directors for the club to discuss the loan.

Rankin 6, Iraan 31  
Rankin 6, Iraan 0  
Rankin 32, Iraan 6  
Rankin 14, Iraan 6  
Rankin 0, Iraan 33  
Rankin 45, Iraan 8  
Rankin 16, Iraan 6  
Rankin 20, Iraan 21  
Rankin 36, Iraan 14  
Rankin 51, Iraan 14  
Rankin 28, Iraan 14  
Rankin 16, Iraan 23  
Rankin 2, Iraan 0  
Rankin 22, Iraan 8  
Rankin 14, Iraan 21  
series, Rankin has put  
on the scoreboard—  
es, 207. All of which is  
account comes Friday  
the record books never

# THE SCOOP by Scoop

J. B. Hutchens, Jr., Editor

## THE VISITORS—

Rankin had some mighty nice folks visiting in town last Friday night when the Van Horn football team and fans come over. It was my pleasure to jaw a bit before the game with Mr. Gene Dow, the editor and publisher of the Van Horn newspaper and he said that the new sulphur business was really making things hum out their way.

Many have said that this new mineral discovery is going to be a bigger thing to West Texas than the oil business has been—which is a little hard to imagine—but if it's just half as big, it will certainly be a boost to the economy.

True, we don't have any hot prospects at this time around Rankin but as we all remember, the oil discoveries didn't all happen at once either. If it's a boon to West Texas, it will help us.

Another sidlight on the Van Horn visitors: Mr. R. L. Bell, who was working the concession stand on the visitors' side of the football field, said Saturday morning that the Van Horn students were the most mannerly group he had ever served—that they were po-

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lite, not rowdy and seemed to be enjoying themselves — with the possible exception of the outcome of the ball game.

As far as I've seen and heard, all our visitors to ball games this year have been right nice people to have around. It just seems that the Van Horn folk went a little better than half way.

## CAN DO—

From time to time, we all get discouraged in our assorted efforts in community work, civic, church and social undertakings. Sometimes it's easy to feel like chunking the whole thing—that nobody's really interested.

Two recent undertakings here in Rankin, however, tend to (Continued to Next Page)

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"Isabel says you have blue eyes, that true, Eric?"

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# BOGGS GROCERY AND MARKET

WE GIVE FRONTIER STAMPS

DOUBLE STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY

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from Preceding page)

as a community, the Rankin are definitely with progress and and will put up their own money and working for goals. Rankin Country Club their efforts to get members to put up was some concern in that many people ee found. I, for one, In talking with in Iraan. Big Lake ey, it was not unusual impression that we off a pretty fair- in their opinions. rned out, there were 75 people willing to

make the effort to see a local improvement. True, the program is far from being carried out but the local backing is an accomplished fact.

Then came the Lions Club undertaking to raise money to get rid of a few of the more predominate eye sores about the town—with a primary goal of removing the old Harlan hotel.

Here agin, there was some expression of skepticism—that the people here had too long taken the attitude of "let the county do it". True, we do depend on the county—which, after all, has little purpose if it cannot be of service to its citizenry—but the fact remains that local people did put up the money—and are planning to take other steps along this line.

Perhaps the desire to help has been here all along. It may be that what has been missing has

been the challenge. At any rate, clubs and organizations who have a worthwhile plan and who present it to the people, can expect support if the two above mentioned projects are any indication.

**THANK GOODNESS—**

At the time this column is written and printed, the elections are not yet over but it is safe to say that the thing now being looked forward to the most by the public in general is "The End".

It seems as if these political campaigns— like the Christmas

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RANKIN BOTSTER CLUB

**CARD OF THANKS**

I WISH to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Gossett, nurses, and staff of Rankin Hospital for their care and kindness to me in my recent illness. I also wish to express my thanks to Bro. J. T. Tankersley, Bro. Larry Bailey and Bro. Mike White for their many visits and kind words and most of all their prayers which meant so much to me, and to all my friends who sent cards and made visits . . . my sincere thanks and may God bless each of you.  
MRS. R. L. BELL



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season—are coming earlier and staying longer each election year. By the time we get around to the actual voting, most of us are thoroughly fed up with the whole thing and just want to get it over with.

This may not be the proper attitude in a land such as ours but it's the way most folks feel which might be a good indication that the time has come to set

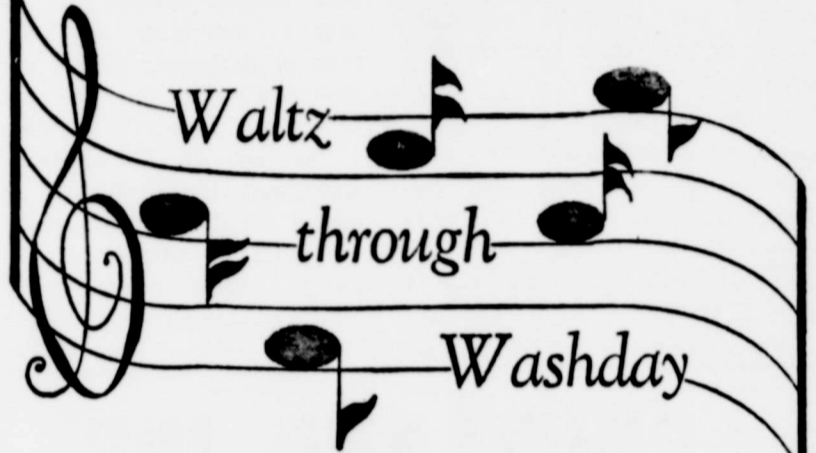
some sort of limit on the length of political campaigns. Six weeks or a month ought to be plenty of time for the hopefuls to present their cases and to call their opponents all the names in the book.

But— again like Christmas — don't start looking for any short-cuts. About the best answer is to keep your cool and learn to live with it.

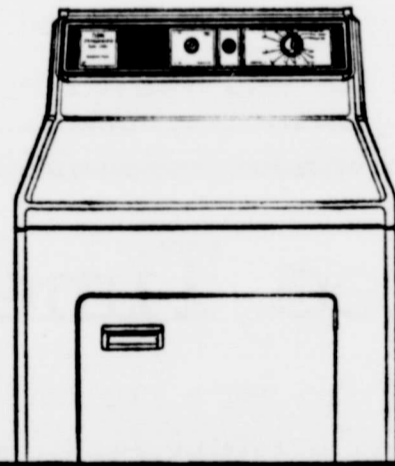
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County Agent, Upton County



## KOUNTY AGENT'S KORNER



### SHEEP SHEARED WITH CHEMICALS—

Sheep have been successfully sheared at the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Research Center, Beltsville, Md., without the use of clippers.

The innovation was made possible by biologist Dr. Ethel H. Dolnick and colleagues in USDA Agricultural Research Service. The sheep was dosed with an experimental chemical, previously used mainly in cancer therapy. Medical scientists found that the drug, aimed at stopping cell growth in tumors, also interrupted cell growth in hair roots, causing test subjects, including sheep to lose their hair or wool temporarily.

In sheep, Dr. Dolnick said, the chemical causes a ringlike constriction in each wool fiber beneath the skin surface. The constriction moves up from the bulb of each wool fiber as it grows, and in 6 to 7 days has

reached a position just below the skin surface. At that point the fiber breaks easily and the entire fleece can be separated at the skinline, leaving the sheep completely bare.

If the fleece is left on longer than 7 days, the constriction grows out above the skin surface so that after fleece removal, a short coat of new wool protects the skin, much as in shearing.

Chemical defleecing, unlike shearing, leaves no nicks or cuts on the skin. Wool has grown back normally on chemically defleeced sheep regardless of the interval allowed between dosing the sheep and removing the wool. But further studies are necessary to determine whether this type of defleecing causes chemical residues in the meat or alters wool growth or quality.

The cost of this experimental treatment has not been determined in dollars and cents but its practical advantage is indicated. With a few minutes training a person can do a most

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satisfactory job. He grabs a handful of wool and rolls his wrist along the sheep's skin and pulls off the fleece without strain on himself, discomfort to the sheep, or wastage of wool.

### Albany Services held for C. A. Shaffer

C. A. "Pap" Shaffer, a resident of Rankin for almost twelve years and who recently moved to Van Alstyne, Texas, died Monday, November 4, the victim of some twenty years battle with cancer. Services were held on Tuesday in Albany.

Mr. Shaffer had lived in Crane for a number of years before moving to Rankin and was a retired Gulf Oil Company employee.

### School Menu

NOVEMBER 11-15

#### MONDAY

Catsup, Fried Fish, Buttered Potatoes, Blackeyed Peas, Corn Bread, Light Bread, Banana Pudding

#### TUESDAY

Lettuce Wedge, Meat Balls, Spaghetti, Green Beans, Harvard Beets, Hot Rolls, Apples

#### WEDNESDAY

Tossed Salad, Barbecue on a Bun, Pinto Beans, Fruit Cocktail

#### THURSDAY

Stuffed Celery, Baked Ham, Cream Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Apricot Halves

#### FRIDAY

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NOVEMBER 8  
7:30 PM KICKOFF**

## RANKIN RED DEVILS

**VS.**

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# 4TH AND 10

Dedicated to the proposition that football is here to stay and that the Red Devils will be in there tough when the game is over.

## ONE DOWN—

The countdown continues — one down and two to go—only one of which gives cause for concern. That, naturally, would be this week's opponent, the Iraan Braves. At this time, it would seem almost impossible for Sanderson to figure as an upset possibility in the Devils' drive for a district crown.

Incidentally, back in 1952 when Rankin had a 23-game winning streak going, do you know who knocked them off on the 24th game? Sanderson! How about

that? The score was 7-6. Rankin won the 1953 match 12-7, then, for some reason, did not play Sanderson in 1954 and 1955. But starting in 1956, Rankin has won every game except one—in fact, Sanderson has scored only six points against the Red Devils in the last four years.

So for all practical purposes, Friday night will pretty well decide the district championship. Of course if Iraan beats Rankin and then Van Horn beats Iraan, we have a three-way tie — or Iraan could go all the way.

The best way to settle the situation is for Rankin to beat the Braves Friday night. That will be that.

## ANOTHER RECORD—

If Rankin can win district, it will be their first since the current eleven-man series began.

Another record that can be es-

tablished is for the B-Team to win over McCamey Thursday night—giving them an undefeated season—the first ever for a Rankin B-Team. At least the first on which any record can be found.

The B-Team already holds a win over the McCamey squad but that won't mean a thing Thursday night. You can bet your dirty sox that the Badgers will come over with but one thought

in mind: to be the only team to beat the Rankin B squad this year.

Better be ready for them, B-Team. Play as well — and as smart as you did against Iraan week-before-last and the honors should be all yours. Good luck!

## THIS WEEK—

So we come down to the wire, so to speak. Can Rankin beat

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Iraan?

Well, from the start ever since the new ment was announced—said that the contest between Rankin and so it is. Iraan has points on the scorebo district play than ha Devils but, at the have played the th teams. Rankin has ha marks and then the Horn and I believe saw that game will those boys were scra

To have four tou on the board again the game gets good ed—even if one was and still put up the did, has to speak we Eagle club. They we over.

Naturally, the big hole for the Red De defense—yet to be s district play. Perso eve the Braves will more than lucky to Rankin goal line twice.

At the same time arises as to how we move the ball against mittedly, the Red or less went under getting 20 points ab Horn in the first still, aside from that ter, they did not look on offense the rema game.

So that leaves one defensive game. And be just that. See Friday night!

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YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND

## LUTHERAN CHURCH SERVICES

EACH SUNDAY  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service: 11 a.m.  
Elizabeth & 8th Sts.

### RANKIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1968

	Operating Fund	Food Service Fund	Student Activity Fund	Debt Service Fund	Totals
Beginning Cash Balance, September 1, 1967	\$ 49,006.62	\$ 3,460.90	\$ 1,152.54	\$ 19,382.65	\$ 73,002.71
<b>RECEIPTS</b>					
Local Taxes	\$471,361.69	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ 72,308.08	\$543,669.77
State Funds	63,150.74	4,503.48	-0-	-0-	67,654.22
Caleferia Sales	-0-	28,192.61	-0-	-0-	28,192.61
Athletic Events	-0-	-0-	5,409.27	-0-	5,409.21
Interest on Time Deposits	1,485.98	-0-	-0-	304.45	1,790.43
Interfund Transfers	-0-	-0-	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00
Other	95.53	-0-	-0-	-0-	95.53
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>\$536,093.94</b>	<b>\$ 32,696.09</b>	<b>\$ 6,409.27</b>	<b>\$ 72,612.53</b>	<b>\$647,811.83</b>
<b>Total Funds Available</b>	<b>\$585,100.56</b>	<b>\$ 36,156.99</b>	<b>\$ 7,561.81</b>	<b>\$ 91,995.18</b>	<b>\$720,814.54</b>
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>					
Administration	\$ 47,983.50	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ 47,983.50
Instruction	323,359.65	-0-	-0-	-0-	323,359.65
Health Service	4,288.59	-0-	-0-	-0-	4,288.59
Pupil Transportation	24,998.64	-0-	-0-	-0-	24,998.64
Operation of Plant	51,273.43	-0-	-0-	-0-	51,273.43
Maintenance of Plant	31,659.77	-0-	-0-	-0-	31,659.77
Insurance	4,865.59	-0-	-0-	-0-	4,865.59
Food Service	5,561.80	\$ 31,726.78	-0-	-0-	37,288.58
Student Body Activity	11,985.04	-0-	7,550.24	-0-	19,535.28
Capital Outlay	11,255.70	-0-	-0-	-0-	11,255.70
Debt Service	-0-	-0-	-0-	70,147.66	70,147.66
Transfer to other Districts	1,736.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,736.00
Interfund Transfers	1,000.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,000.00
<b>Total Disbursements</b>	<b>\$519,967.71</b>	<b>\$ 31,726.78</b>	<b>\$ 7,550.24</b>	<b>\$ 70,147.66</b>	<b>\$629,392.39</b>
Ending Cash Balance August 31, 1968	\$ 65,132.85	\$ 4,430.21	\$ 11.57	\$ 21,847.52	\$ 91,422.15

/s/ W. O. ADAMS  
Business Manager

# Say.

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it is to beat themselves—which they are not likely to do at this point in the season.

**SOCORRO 30**, Sanderson 0. I did it again last week—picked Sanderson to win and was all wrong. Never, never, again.

**VAN HORN 45**, Clint 0. The Van Horn people can still hope Iraan downs Rankin — giving them one more chance.

**SONORA 38**, Eldorado 6. For Sonora— a mild workout.

**CRANE 25**, Big Lake 20. Crane is due to fall and this may well

be the time but you have to go with them. I hope Big Lake can pull it off.

**OZONA 30**, Stanton 8. The season ended early for Stanton.

**LAST WEEK—**

Rankin 29, Van Horn 0  
Iraan 36, Socorro 0  
Clint 10, Sanderson 8  
Big Lake 19, Ozona 0  
Crane 29, McCamey 0  
Sonora 48, Eden 0  
4th and 10: 5 right, 1 wrong—  
Season: 45 right, 19 wrong, two ties.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

Lonnie Brown, McCamey, admitted October 5.  
Mrs. Billy Elders of McCamey, admitted October 19, deceased on 11, -.  
E. L. Bearden of Rankin, admitted October 19, dismissed on October 30.  
Troy Byford of Rankin, admitted October 21, dismissed November 1.  
Mrs. L. D. Mills of Crane, ad-

mitted October 23, dismissed on November 1.

Mrs. George Poage of Rankin, admitted October 28, dismissed on November 1.

Sammy Hhadic of McCamey, admitted October 28 and dismissed November 1.

Doana McDougal of McCamey, admitted October 28 and dismissed November 2.

Mrs. W. A. McAnir of McCamey, admitted October 28 and dismissed November 4.

Vernon Luckie of Midkiff admitted October 29 and dismissed November 4.

Mrs. C. W. Higginbotham of Rankin, admitted October 31.

Baby Girl Higginbotham born November 1.

Mrs. L. B. Wilkerson of Rankin, admitted November 1.

Mrs. J. N. Faries of Rankin, admitted November 1 and dismissed November 4.

W. E. Trumble of McCamey, admitted November 3.

Mrs. Gene Holmes of Iraan, admitted November 3.

Mrs. Bertha Scott Evans of Iraan, admitted November 3.

James Ronald Harris of Iraan

admitted November 3.

Armando Armendariz of Rankin, admitted November 11.

William Johnson of McCamey, admitted November 4.

Lupe Ramon of McCamey, admitted November 4.

Mackie Toward of Crane, admitted November 4.

Mrs. C. R. Winfield of San Angelo, admitted November 4.

**Golfers start play for Championship**

Rankin golfers will begin play Saturday, November 9 in their annual club championship. Only members in good standing will be eligible to participate and in order to win the championship, the golfer must participate in the championship flight.

Play will be over 18 holes of match, with at least two flights and the championship in operation. Players may tee up the ball in their matches any time that's convenient for them between November 9 and November 23. Trophies will go to first-place winners with golf balls for consolation. The club champion will have his name engraved on the club trophy and should he win it three years in a row, it will become his private property.

Entry fee is \$4 and all who wish to participate should enter as soon as possible at the pro shop in the clubhouse.

**Lions say "Thanks" for Parade Help; Winners Named**

The Rankin Lions Club extends a big "thanks" to the persons and organizations who took part in the Halloween parade last Thursday. We are especially grateful for the assistance of Sheriff Eckols and his deputies for making the parade route safe.

We thank the fire department for the use of their truck in leading the parade, and the Red Devil Band for adding music and marching. The Halliburton and Western companies are also to be commended for the use of their equipment.

The winners in the float division are: first place, the Halliburton Wives Club; second place, the Xi Epsilon Chi Sorority; third place, the Omicron Tau Sorority.

The winners in the children's division are: best costume on a girl, Melinda Pippen; best costume on a boy, Rodney Johnson; most unusual costume; Joe Tom Greer; best decorated bicycle, Chris Barton.

(S) RANKIN LIONS CLUB

BRIDE'S BOOKS, wedding announcements and shower invitations at the Rankin News.

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Your Xmas Gift Store

**BE INVITED TO ATTEND ALL SERVICES OF THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

When I neglect the services of my church, I injure its good name, I lessen its power, I discourage its members, and I chill my own soul.

Sunday School  
Morning worship  
Training Union  
Evening Worship

**ATTEND CHURCH EVERY SUNDAY**

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<p>Our <b>TOY SELECTION</b> is complete <b>Lay-Away NOW</b> For Christmas</p>	<p><b>FOR MOM</b> Fine Selection of **Dresses **Sportswear **Lingerie <b>COME IN AND LET US HELP YOU WITH SIZES</b></p>	<p><b>FOR THE HOME</b> lovely **Blankets **Bedspreads and **Towel Sets</p>
<p>Give MOM the <b>MERRIEST</b> Of X-MAS'S Many Sets Of Dishes And Glassware</p>	<p><b>FOR DAD</b> <b>WE OFFER A LARGE SELECTION OF GIFT ITEMS</b> **Sporting Goods **Power Tools **Western Boots OR A **New Wardrobe</p>	<p>We Have A Fine Selection Of <b>CORNING WARE</b> and <b>PYREX</b></p>
<p>** Radios (AM - FM - Shortwave) ** Record Players ** Combinations at Discount Prices <b>LAY-AWAY NOW</b></p>	<p><b>SHOP EARLY</b> for the Best Selection in Christmas Cards <b>COMPLETE STOCK NOW ON HAND</b></p>	<p><b>THE BEST</b> Stock of Electric **Coffee Pots **Skillets **Toasters and many other appliances <b>AT THE BEST PRICES IN TOWN</b></p>

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**FRUITS SAVINGS VEGETABLES**

FRESH, CRISP  
**LETTUCE** LB. **19c**  
GOLDEN RIPE  
**BANANAS** LB. **12c**  
U. S. No. 1  
**POTATOES** 10-lb. bag **49c**

**FROZEN FOODS**

Gandy's Frozan  
**MELLORENE** 1/2-Gallon **39c**  
Aunt Jemima  
**WAFFLES** 9-OZ. **39c**

**BEST Meat Buys**

ARM  
**ROAST** LB. **55c**  
CHUCK  
**ROAST** LB. **53c**  
SIRLOIN  
**STEAK** LB. **89c**  
Peyton's All Meat  
**FRANKS** PKG. **55c**  
Peyton's English  
**BACON** LB. **59c**  
BEEF  
**RIBS** LB. **33c**  
GRADE A  
**FRYERS** LB. **33c**

Kraft's Miracle Whip  
**SALAD DRESSING** quart **59c**

SUN VALLEY  
**OLEO** 4 LBS. **\$1.**

SHORTENING 3-lb. tin  
**SNOWDRIFT** **69c**

MEADS  
**BISCUITS** CAN **10c**

Baker's Home Style  
**COOKIES** 5 doz. pkg. **69c**

Stokely's 14-oz. bottle  
**CATSUP** 2 FOR **47c**

IMPERIAL 5-lb. Bag  
**SUGAR** **59c**

Stokely's 303 Cans  
**CORN** 2 FOR **49c**

 LB. BOX **37c**

Stokely's 303 FRUIT  
**COCKTAIL** 2 FOR **49c**

Chicken of the Sea 3 For  
**TUNA** **\$1.**  
Flat Cans, Green Label

Bath Size Dove 2 Bars  
**SOAP** **49c**

LIPTON 1/2-lb. Box  
**TEA** **79c**

Deer 303 Cans 2 for  
**TOMATOES** **39c**

**CASHWAY GROCERY AND MKT**

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

CLASSIFIED AD RATES for the Rankin News: 3.cents per word per issue. Minimum charge of 60c per ad when paid in cash. \$1.25 minimum charge on all ads put on charge account unless advertiser has active account with The News.

HOUSE FOR SALE: two-bedroom, carpeted throughout, paneled bath with vanity, utility room. \$4500. Phone 693-2210, 502 Royal. (11-14)

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CARPETS a fright? Make them a beautiful sight with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1 at Red Bluff Lumber Company.

**RANKIN MASONIC LODGE**  
NO. 1251  
Stated Meeting Nights  
2nd and 4th Thursdays  
7:30 P. M.

The Rankin (Tex.)  
Thursday, Nov. 7,

**NOVEMBER 8-10 FOR WITNESS ME**

Announcement was week that the Jehovah will hold their three-ence in Lamesa Nov. Theme of the gather "Sharing Fully in Pro Good News."

CARPOR SALE: C niture, bicycle, st conditioner, medicine W. O. Adams

**Legal No**

NOTICE TO B The Commission Upton County, Texe ive sealed bids unil Monday, November 2 which time bids will opened and read, at house, Rankin Tex purchase of:

One only new 196 four door sedan V-8 motor 455 cu equivalent, air co power brakes and ing, disc brake fr automatic transmi and tinted glass.

Successful bidg quired to take in 1966 Oldsmobile four fully equipped.

The County reserv to accept or reject bids.

(s) H. S. H County Aud Upton County

ATTEST: (s) NANCY K. D County Clerk Upton County, Tex (SEAL)

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